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In re Application of: Jay S. Walker, et al. )  
 ) Art Unit: 3642  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
FACILITATING THE PLAY OF )  
FRACTIONAL LOTTERY TICKETS )  
UTILIZING POINT-OF-SALE )  
TERMINALS )  
 ) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned  
Serial No.: 09/045,036 )  
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Filing Date: March 20, 1998 ) Docket No.: WD2-97-558

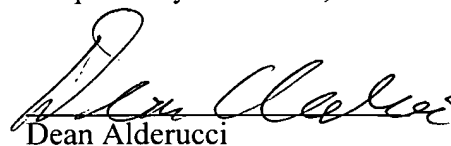
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts;
3. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
4. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status; and
5. Postcard.

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April 30, 1998

Date

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**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application  
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3642

Invention:

**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FACILITATING THE PLAY OF FRACTIONAL LOTTERY TICKETS  
UTILIZING POINT-OF-SALE TERMINALS**

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This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) mailed on  
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Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533). **(REQUIRED)**
- ☒ A new original oath or declaration together with a statement that the "attached" specification is a copy of the specification and any amendments thereto that were filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office to obtain the filing date.
- ☐ The original declaration or oath for this application together with a statement by a registered patent attorney or agent that the application filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office is the application that the inventor executed by signing the declaration or oath.
- ☐ A verified English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- ☒ 1 verified small entity declaration(s)
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**Invention:**

## METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FACILITATING THE PLAY OF FRACTIONAL LOTTERY TICKETS UTILIZING POINT-OF-SALE TERMINALS

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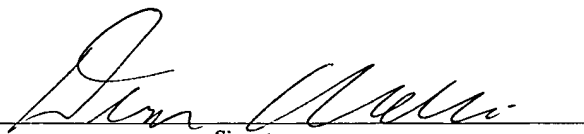
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